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Application of: Siegfried Hekimi et al.

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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice dated February 23, 2004 and the Office Action dated June 4, 2003 and in accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Applicants concurrently submit herewith (a) a Revocation and Power of Attorney executed by the assignee of record; (b) a Change of Correspondence Address for Application; and (c) Exhibit A.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.